



Briefing Note: Visit to Edmonton Road Primary School 1266

To:	Hon Jan Tinetti, Minister of Education		
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Purpose of Briefing Note

This briefing note provide information to support your visit to Edmonton Road School to discuss the Te Atatu Community of Learning along with other Leads within West Auckland Kāhui Ako:

- Margaret Samson - Te Atatu Community of Learning Lead 2023
- Brenda Cronin – Te Atatu Community of Learning 2024
- Heather Atkinson – Whiringa te Tangata
- Liz Wood (Bruce Maclaren Intermediate) – Henderson Community of Learning
- Terianne Brady – Te Kāhui Ako o Kaipara

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Hon Jan Tinetti
Minister of Education

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Edmonton Road Primary School 1266

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Key People

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Ministry Officials:

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Manager Integrated Services
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Robert Clarke
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Profile Information

Authority	State
School Type	Contributing (Y0-6)
School Gender	Co-Ed
Education Medium	All students in English Medium
Equity Index Rating	458
Electorate	Te Atatu
Te Mahau Region	Te Tai Raro

The July 2022 breakdown of roll information by ethnicity is shown below:

July 2022 Roll	Number	Percentage (%)
Māori	65	28
Pacific	52	23
Asian	67	29
Other ethnicity	10	04
European/Pākehā	37	16
International	0	0
Total	231	100%

Edmonton Road Primary School Context

Edmonton Road Primary School is an urban contributing (Y1-6) primary state school, situated in the west Auckland suburb of Te Atatu South, It is located close to Rangeview Intermediate School.

Education Review Office

- 1 The Edmonton Road Primary School was last visited by the Education Review Office (ERO) in 2019 where ERO recommended that for sustained improvement and future learner success, priorities for further development are in:
- further strengthening the collective capacity of the school community to promote and enhance bicultural awareness and practices.
 - continuing to increase students' ownership of their learning, including through digital proficiency, to build their sense of agency.
 - investigating systems to track, monitor and document children's learning development over time.

Kāhui Ako | Communities of Learning

- 2 Edmonton School is part of the Te Atatu Kahui Ako, Cluster 5 RTLB, there are 9 schools and 4 ELS currently within the Kahui Ako:

School ID	School Name
1266	Edmonton School
1280	Freyberg Community School
1365	Matipo School
1531	Peninsula Primary School
1457	Rangeview Intermediate
40	Rutherford College
1478	Rutherford School
1530	Te Atatu Intermediate
1536	Tirimoana School

ECE ID	ECE Name
20287	Freyberg Community Pre-School
25367	MyKindy Henderson
20148	Rutherford Pre-School
5109	Te Atatu South Kindergarten

Learning Support

- 3 The school is part of the Te Atatu cluster, Cluster 5 RTLB, which has not been allocated any Learning Support Coordinators (LSC).

Participation in government programmes

School Donations Scheme

- 4 The school opted-in to the School Donations Scheme for 2022 and has opted-in for 2023. The school received \$43,298 (incl GST) in lieu of donations in 2022, and \$40,941.98 (incl. GST) in 2023 based on the July roll return.

Ikura | Manaakitia te whare tangata – Period products in school initiative

- 5 The school has opted-in to the programme.

Creatives in Schools

- 6 The school did not apply for Round 1 or 2 of the Creatives in Schools projects.

Ka Ora, Ka Ako | Healthy School Lunch Programme

- 7 The school is ineligible for the programme.

Property

- 8 Edmonton Road Primary School has twelve teaching spaces with a purpose built Arohanui Special School Satellite built in 2010.
- 9 The school experienced no major damage to the buildings over the Jan floods but did experience issues with the storm drains that had to be cleared urgently.
- 10 The general condition of the school is average. There has been an evident lack of maintenance in areas.
- 11 The 5 year agreement (5YA) roofing project has been underway over the recent holiday period. A Designing quality learning spaces (DQLS) project is in design. There is currently learning support property modifications seed funding request for a low vision student.
- 12 The School Investment Package (SIP) funding was spent on a playground.

Other known risks or issues

- 13 With no Learning Support Coordinators (LSCs) and Social Workers in Schools (SWiS) throughout the Te Atatu cluster.
- 14 The following are some Topics that may come up in the meeting:
- Identifying opportunities to work differently with Learning Support and barriers to learning that is historically been experienced.
 - Engagement with Managed Moves Alternative Education, in particular the new Managed Moves Attendance Service.
 - The effects of a new state integrated school (Elim School) within the area.
 - Support for NZEI stance for Principals.

Annex 1: Run Sheet

Time	Activity	Other details
9.30am	Ministry representatives onsite	Other attendees include: -Tanya Harvey (Director) * -Anuja Singh (Manager Integrated Services) -Robert Clarke (Senior Education Advisor)
9.55am	Minister Tinetti arrives and is greeted by Ministry representative and/or Principal. The Principal is expecting 11 principals.	KAHUI AKO LEAD PRINCIPALS -Barb Dysart (Summerland) -Heather Atkinson (Waitakere) -Liz Wood (Bruce Maclaren Int) -Terianne Brady (Waioneke) TE ATATU CLUSTER PRINCIPALS -Cherie Taylor Patel (Flanshawe Road) -Amanda Bennett (Rutherford) -Jesmond Filipo (Rangeview Intermediate) -Gary Moore (Rutherford College) NZEI -Martyn Weatherill
	Morning tea provided.	School's kapa haka will provide waiata.
10.55am	Meeting wind up / Minister prepares for next visit, 11.25am at Moire Road, West Harbour.	